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## TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

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## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED REVISIONS TO 30 TAC CHAPTER 114, SUBCHAPTER K, DIVISION 2

The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (commission) will conduct a public hearing to receive testimony regarding proposed revisions to 30 TAC Chapter 114, Subchapter K, Division 2, Light-Duty Motor Vehicle Purchase or Lease Incentive Program, under the requirements of Texas Government Code, Chapter 2001, Subchapter B. The commission is proposing the repeal of §§114.610 - 114.612 and §114.616; and new §§114.610 - 114.613.

The proposed rulemaking would implement Senate Bill (SB) 1731 from the 85th Texas Legislature, 2017, Regular Session, to implement a new Light-Duty Motor Vehicle Purchase or Lease Incentive Program (program) established under Texas Health and Safety Code, Chapter 386, Subchapter D. The proposed rulemaking would repeal the criteria and requirements pertaining to the previous program that ended in 2015, and would replace those sections with the criteria and requirements for the new program established under SB 1731.

The commission will hold a public hearing on this proposal in Austin on December 11, 2017, at 2:00 p.m. in Building E, Room 201S, at the commission's central office located at 12100 Park 35 Circle. The hearing is structured for the receipt of oral or written comments by interested persons. Individuals may present oral statements when called upon in order of registration. Open discussion will not be permitted during the hearing; however, commission staff members will be available to discuss the proposal 30 minutes prior to the hearing.

Persons who have special communication or other accommodation needs who are planning to attend the hearing should contact Sandy Wong, Office of Legal Services at (512) 239-1802 or 1-800-RELAY-TX (TDD). Requests should be made as far in advance as possible.

Written comments may be submitted to Ms. Kris Hogan, MC 205, Office of Legal Services, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, or faxed to (512) 239-4808. Electronic comments may be submitted at: <a href="http://www1.tceq.texas.gov/rules/ecomments/">http://www1.tceq.texas.gov/rules/ecomments/</a>. File size restrictions may apply to comments being submitted via the eComments system. All comments should reference Rule Project Number 2017-030-114-AI. The comment period closes on December 22, 2017. Copies of the proposed rulemaking can be obtained from the commission's website at <a href="http://www.tceq.texas.gov/rules/propose\_adopt.html">http://www.tceq.texas.gov/rules/propose\_adopt.html</a>. For further information, please contact Steve Dayton, Implementation Grants Section, at (512) 239-6824.